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## Oceanic Steamship Company. TIME TABLE:

The Fine Passenger Steamers of This Line Will Arrive and Leave This Port as Hereunder.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO:		FOR SAN FRANCISCO:	
SONOMA	DEC 7	VENTURA	DEC 6
ALAMEDA	DEC 16	ALAMEDA	DEC 21
1905		1905	
ALAMEDA	JAN 6	ALAMEDA	JAN 11
SIERRA	JAN 18	SONOMA	JAN 17
ALAMEDA	JAN 27	ALAMEDA	FEB 1
SONOMA	FEB 8	VENTURA	FEB 7
ALAMEDA	FEB 17	ALAMEDA	FEB 22
VENTURA	MARCH 1	SIERRA	FEB 28
ALAMEDA	MARCH 10	ALAMEDA	MARCH 15
SIERRA	MARCH 22	SONOMA	MARCH 21
ALAMEDA	MARCH 31	ALAMEDA	APR 5
SONOMA	APR 12	VENTURA	APR 11
ALAMEDA	APR 21	ALAMEDA	APR 26

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## FEDERAL GRAND JURY'S REPORT.

Majority Says No Fraud  
Found In Election  
Contest.

The investigations by the Federal inquisition into the alleged election frauds came unexpectedly to an abrupt ending yesterday afternoon when, at 2:30 o'clock, sixteen of its members returned a majority report. Following is the report presented to Federal Judge Dole and is self-explanatory in itself:

"To the Honorable Sanford B. Dole, Judge of the United States District Court, Territory of Hawaii.

"Sir: The special Grand Jury, empanelled, sworn and charged by you on the twelfth day of December, 1904, having concluded its duties, beg to submit herewith the following report:

"The United States District Attorney produced no witnesses to testify in the investigation of election matters before the jury, stating that no complaint had been laid before him; and all witnesses appearing before this jury were summoned at the request of members thereof.

"There were twelve witnesses summoned who gave testimony before the Grand Jury.

"After examining the witnesses testifying it is the finding of this Grand Jury to that there was no evidence produced which would warrant the indictment of any person for violating the Federal laws at the late election; that is, Sections Nos 5403, 5404, 5408 and 5508 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, mentioned in your charge to this Grand Jury on December 12, 1904.

"Signed: J A Gilman, C G Balentyne, E R Bath, Wm O Atwater, E B Carley, J A McCandless, Geo C Watt, Fred L Waldron, J P Winne, J P Cooke, Saml G Wilder, C M V Forster, Geo K Kaia, S N Hundley, Chas Butzke, Henry Lancaster."

Upon its being filed and the reading thereof concluded, three jurors were excused so that they could return to their respective business. They were S N Hundley, Geo Watt and E B Carley.

### Suez Canal Traffic.

Some interesting facts concerning the size of and the traffic through the Suez canal are presented by the Newark [N J] Advertiser. It is said: "The Suez canal is 92 miles long, and cost \$102,750,000; 3,450 ships, of 8,039,106 tons net, passed through the Suez canal in 1903, yielding \$14,770,081 in dues. Nearly 95 per cent of the vessels were enabled to steam at night through the canal owing to the general use of the electric light. As to the nationality of the vessels, the English were 2,394, German 294, French 184, Dutch 188, Austro-Hungarian 78, Italian 63, Norwegian 38, Turkish 33, Spanish 17, Russian 35, Portuguese 2, Egyptian 1, Japanese 6, Guatemalan 1, United States warships and yachts 16."

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